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STATE EXPERT IS HERE TO SURVEY TAXES ON MINES

An item in last week's Nugget told of the appointment of R. Bender to make a survey of the mining prop- from the tax list at the court house. Mr. Bender has chosen to begin his work in Nevada county, in the Nevada City-Grass Valley district, and has been here for the last week with Thomas Lewis.
a great deal of time. When the list compiling a list of mining properties is done the two men will begin the This is tedious work and has taken a great dealof time. When the list is done hte two men will begin the actual work of examining the mines with the purpose of fixing the valuation on the properties. This work is under the direction of the Tax Research Bureau of the Board of Equalization.

There is so much complaint made from the various quarters to the Board of Equalization that an appropriation was made by the Legislature at the last session for tax research work. This work was divided into various groups: agriculture, timber, oil, etc. The other groups have already been a twork.

The work is an experiment by the state and its value is yet unknown, but an effort will be made to equalize the tax burden and to reduce taxes where it is possible.

Mr. Bender's work of placing the values on the mining properties he has divided the state into eight or nine districts. Nevada county is the Mother Lode district. He expects to be here for several weeks but will not be able at this time to make the examination of the mines in eastern Nevada county or in Sierra county. These will come later. Both metalic and non-metalic are considered in this study and, if posible, the whloe state will be covered.

Owing to the limited funds allowed by the Legislature, October 1st is the limit set for the work to be completed. In order to complete the work in this time it will necessitate that Mr. Bender and Mr. Lewis put in long hours.

Mr. Bender is a mining engineer and has 30 years experience in mining and so is well fitted to carry on this research work. He is ably assisted by Mr. Lewis who is a practical mining man.

After the reports are made out they must meet with the approval of the next session of the Legislature, and if so approved the report will be printed.

Mr. Bender states that the mine owners can assist him greatly if they will answer his questions freely as this research is being carried on for their benefit.

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MURCHIE MINE LAYOFF HITS LOCAL BUSINESS

Mining activity has encountered a temporary setback in the Nevada City area, due to the temporary layoff of approximately 100 men at the Murchie Mine, according to the February issue of the Business Review compiled by the Bank of America N T & S A.

This action has been taken to permit extensive plant repair work and underground changes and improvements. When these are completed, however, more miners will be employed than at present.

The Murchie Mine was taken over the first of the year by the Newmont Company. Mr. Kirvin, a mining man of wide experience, is the new superintendent at the property.

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STANLEY NASON IS HELD SUICIDE AFTER INQUEST

A coroner's jury at Grass Valley Wednesday night found that Stanley I. Nason, mining engineer whose body was found on the Rough and Ready ditch last Sunday, came to his death by swallowing potassium of cyanide.

Nason had been making his home at the Bret Harte Inn. He left there two weeks ago, presumably to return to his home in the east. He has a wife in Connecticut.

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"Construction is lagging behind in the case of inexpensive residences," the Review states, "despite recent steady building both in Grass Valley and in Nevada City."

Moratorium on Assessment Work?

A suggestion comes to the publisher which is of peculiar interest to this section. It is that a moratorium be entertained on the annual assessment work for $100 on each mining claim for the years ending July 1,1932, and July 1, 1933. This suggestion, strange as it may seem, comes from Los Angeles, from the office of John Duling, mining engineer. He feels that owing to the depressed conditions throughout the country the mining industry has had to carry exceptional financial burdens, particularly the small mine owners and poor prospectors, and that this burden should be relieved for the next two years.

The suggestion will be welcomed by the many claim owners in this district who will no doubt follow Mr. Duling's example and write to their representatives in Congress asking them to pass a bill to this end. Unlike many bills which pass through the legislative halls, this bill will be a great aid to the small owner and wuld benefit a large number of people in these mountain counties who have from one to six claims creating a real burden on them to do the assessment work each year.

The following is a letter which went from Mr. Duling's office to Senator Hiram Johnson, and is an example of letters sent out from his office to senators and congressmen:

Hon. Hiram W. Johnson, United States Senator,
Washington, D. C.
Our Dear Senator:

We think you should give us a moratorium on the representation of mining claims until after July, 1933. We see you have exempted entrymen on homesteads from the requirement of remaining in the possession of their homesteads, and we think mining claimants are entitled to like consideration.

There are thousands of these mining locators, we are told, who are placer mining by hand this year; the hills and mountains are full of them. They are scarcely making their bacon and beans and sour dough bread, and these—a lot of them,who have lode as well as placer claims elsewhere—are appealing to us to write to you and our other representatives in Congress for this relief, and stating that they can not quit their holdings to perform the annual labor on their other claims; and, we think, they should not be required to do so during these hard times.

We think you would be doing a real public service to pass a resolution exempting the annual labor on mining claims for the years ending July 1, 1932, and July 1, 1933.

Respectfully yours, JOHN F. DULING,
Mining Engineer, Central Building, Los Angeles, Calif.

FINE SPECIMENS ARE TAKEN FROM GOODYEAR BAR

Messrs. Milton Champlin and O. M. Lattin have filed upon some good looking mineral ground two miles north of Goodyears Bar and also a mile and a half from St. Charles Hill. There are nine or 10 claims in the property and on one claim there is an old shaft.

This is a new discovery, but sufficient prospecting has been done to determine that the ore carries good values. The main ledge is several feet wide.

Messrs. Champlin and Lattin are waiting until the weather improves. It will be another month before they can start work. Snow is on the ground to a depth of from four to 10 feet.

Mr. Champlin was a Nugget visitor Friday. He was on his way to the southern part of the State.

He stated that a Mr. Westle, who has a quartz property near his claims is making plans to build a cabin and start opening up his ground.

A Mr. Kretz also has quartz claims nearby and is preparing to work them.

On the North Fork of the Yuba River just below Messrs. Champlin and Lattin, is a man by the name of West, who is placering his gravel claim, which is on the edge of the river.

Mr. Champlin brought some fine looking specimens into The Nugget office and was preparing to have them assayed.

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MARY ANN GODFREY, 80, DIES AT CAMPTONVILLE

Mrs. Mary Ann Godfrey, a resident of the Camptonville section for more than 75 years, died at her home there Wednesday morning. The funeral will be held from the Camptonville Masonic hall this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

She was 80 years old, a native of Manchester, England. She came to California with her family in 1854 and settled at Camptonville. On January 24, 1859 she became the bride of Silas Godfrey.

Five children were born to the couple, three of whom survive. They are Mrs. John Ramm and Frank Godfrey of Camptonville and Henry Godfrey of Berke[illegible]y.

3 CANDIDATES SEEK ASSEMBLY JOB OF SEAWELL

With politicians of Nevada county casting about for a likely candidate for the assembly from the Sixth District, three hats were hurled into the ring this week from other parts f the district.

Those who seek the post to be vacated January 1 by Jerry Seawell of Roseville are Jesse M. Mayo of San Andreas, H. Berle Tohmas of Placerville and Thomas Maul of Placerville.

H. Berle Thomas, editor-publisher of the Placerville Daily Republican, has formally announced his entry into the campaign for the assembly, sixth district, under the new reapportionment.

Mr. Tomas was in Nevada City Monday on a brief visit.

The new Sixth District comprises the largest area in the state, reaching from Nevada County on the north to Mariposa County on the south, and Thomas in his announcement, stated it was his belief that a man well versed in the problems which confront the mountain counties has, at the present time, a golden opportunity to be of service to the 83,000 people in the ten counties.

Publisher and editor of the Republican, in El Dorado County, for the last ten years, the formal announcement issued by Thomas states that he was born and raised in sections which had the same problems in mining, stockraising agriculture, lumbering and natural resources which now confront the Sixth Assembly District. A country-newspaperman all his life, he is a republican, at present the president of the Placerville Lions' Club, an active worker in various fraternal and civic organizations to which he belongs, and is vitally interested in development of the mountain counties.

During the 1930 federal census Thomas was supervisor of the 4th California district comprising all of the counties in the present assembly district except Mono and Inyo. In that capacity, he visited the counties of the district on many occasions, coming in personal contact with the problems of the people and making acquaintances which he feels would be of assistance to him in serving the counties in the event of his election.

This development, his statement sets forth, depends upon legislation

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ROAD BULLETINS TELL HISTORY OF OLD GOLD CENTER

Road bulletins designed to give the tourist the historic value of Nevada county points are being issued by the Grass Valley Chamber of Commerce, through J. L. Wolff, chairman of the touring department.

One of the most recent bulletins gives the following interesting information regarding points along the Marysville-Nevada City road:

The Yuba River Canyon Country can best be reached from the northern Sacramento Valley by way of Marysville from where the Tahoe Ukiah Highway travels eastward over flat marshy country; and thereafter rolling hillocks which grow gradually higher until the timber line suddenly appears near Browns Valley. Here the road begins to climb as it winds around the hills and eventually reaches the Parks Bar Bridge across the main Yuba. From this large concrete structure the motorist can nearly always see some miners working, with pan or cradle, recovering from the gravel some of the gold which has been washed down from the high mountains. They operate exactly as did the '49'ers when they first began forging up stream along the Yuba.

Shortly after crossing this bridge the highway reaches Timbuctoo, famous in the annals of '49 history, where in an old brick building was located the Wells Fargo Express office through which many fortunes in gold have passed, two of the earliest prospectors to reach this region discovered a negro from Timbuctoo, Africa, already on the job and therefrom comes the name. This old building where the sign; "Gold dust bought; Wells Fargo and Company; Lowe Brothers and Company; Exchange for sale On All the Principal Cities of the Atlantic States and Europe," is still faintly visible has been turned into a museum by the Native Sons and Daughters of the Golden West. It contains a number of interesting relics.

The tourist now finds himself, as he climbs still further eastward, in a country rich in historic lore. All of this region was very thickly populated during '49 and the '50's. A short distance beyond the road passes through the old settlement of Smartsville where many early type buildings are still standing, although like in many of the '49 towns some of these may not stand much longer The State of California is rebuilding a section of this road ,east of Smartsville, into a broad highway but the tourist will have no trouble in passing this section under construction.

The next settlement is Rough and Ready which is reached after passing many of the early day farm buildings. "The Millionaire of Rough and Ready" is the title of one of Bret Harte's stories that has carried this town's fame around the world. It was founded by soldiers who had served in Mexico under General Zachary Taylor, old "Rough and Ready," and the town was named in his honor. The original Odd Fellows Hall which some authorities believe to be the first erected in the State is still in business. The town was settled by the Rough and Ready Company in the fall of 1849; gold diggings were found immediately and the population grew so fast that in 1850 there was 1000 votes cast. During the middle 50's there were over three hundred substantial buildings in the town but most of these were destroyed by the fire that occured in 1859. This town has the distinction of being perhaps the only one that has ever officially voted to become a separate state, seceding from California. However several days later, when the excitement had died down the leaders had sobered up, the solemn resolutions were forgotten. In the old hotel Mrs Elba Moore conducts the post-office, a store and beside the watering trough at which the stage teams used to slack their thirst stands the gasoline pump to show the mode of travel is somewhat changed since those early days. In the large room which used to be the lobby of the hotel and bar ,of course, is an interesting collection of many relics and old time books used to educate the school children of pioneer days. The cash register is a combination regis-

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LOS ANGELES MAN NOW IS SALMON MINE OWNER

Mr. C. D. Wickes was down from the Salmon Mine last Friday.

In a conversation with a Nugget representative he remarked that the Salmon Mine is now owned outright by C. B. Conrad of Los Angeles.

The stockholders of the old Parnall Mines Company have signed quit claim deeds waiving all rights. The transaction took place about two weeks ago.

This property holds much promise, as it is situated in a good gold producing district.

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OVER 200 JOIN IN DEDICATION OF TREES HERE

With Approximately 200 persons participating in the parade, patriotic and civic groups of Nevada City joined here Monday in the celebration of George Washington's 200th anniversary.

Three trees were formally dedicated to the memory of Washington.

At the conclusion of the dedication ceremonies a program was presented at the Nevada Theater, with an oration by the Rev. Washburn of Trinity Episcopal church.

The parade was formed at the Washington school, where a tree planted a year ago was dedicated.

McKinley Lotz, commander of Hague - Thomas - Hegarty Post American Legion, commanded the parade, which was led by the little Misses Marylee Carr and Helen Margaret Holmes, dressed in colonial costumes.

Then came the Legion colors and armed color guard, the rifles dating back nearly to Revolutionary days. The Nevada City high school band followed, with large groups from the Legion, Legion Auxiliary, school children, Boy Scouts and representatives of civic groups completing the formation.

The parade proceeded first to the Native Daughters Park, where a tree was dedicated. At the city hall the Woman's Civic Club dedicated another tree.

R. J. Bennetts presided at the gathering in the theater. The following program was rendered:

America—by the audience, accompanied by the orchestras of the high school and grammar school.

Invocation—Father O'Reilly.

Selection by orchestra.

Vocal selection— Mrs. Charles Elliott.

Reading of winning Legion essays and awarding prizes.

Colonial dance—Group of high school girls.

Address—Rev. Washburn.

Star Spangled Banner—Vocal selection by Mrs. Talbot.

Community Singing — Audience accompanied by Trumpet Quartet, Mr. Sweeney, Tony Wiel, Cecil Schiffner, Fred Browning.

Benediction—Rev. Washburn.

Fountain pens were awarded by the American Legion to Betsey Bennett of Nevada City and Edith Berryman of Grass Valley as a feature of the Washington Day celebration. The girls were chosen as the writers of the two best essays on the life of Washington submitted by pupils of the Nevada City and Grass Valley schools. The awards were made by E. K. Smart, past commander of the local Legion post.

Several hundred essays were submitted in the contest, and all showed exceptional merit, Smart declared.

The essay by Miss Bennett was read by her to the audience. Miss Berryman, who has been sick, was unable to read hers.

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EAT OUTDOOR SUPPER

An outdoor supper on Sugar Loaf featured a hike by Nevada City Boy Scouts Tuesday evening. Bob Tamblyn, senior patrol leader, headed the expedition. Other members of the party included Nat Robins, Artie Cartoscelli, Albert Prattle, Bob Schiffner, Richard Marriott, Franklin Tuttle, Billy Kirkham, Cecil Schiffner, Dean McMinn, Grove Celio, Ed Phillips, Tom Widdauf.

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MINING LAWYER SUCCUMBS

Funeral services were held at Oakland Wednesday for John D. Ackerman, 81, famed California mining law authority, who died there Sunday. Ackerman's father came to California around the Horn in 1843 and settled at Vallejo.

OLD DIRECTORS OF MINING BODY ARE RE-ELECTED

The Mining Association of California held a meeting at the Travelers Hotel, Sacramento, California, last Saturday, February 20th. President Errol MacBoyle of Grass Valley, presided. The meeting was an adjourned meeting from December 19th, and was purely a business meeting.

The following directors were re-elected: W. F. Gormley, of Sacramento, Lee I. Rowland, of Los Molinos, Roscoe J. Anderson, of Redding, and Charles L. Gilmore, of Sacramento, Director at Large.

By request from the Tax Research Bureau of the Board of Equalization, Arthur Foote of Grass Valley, was elected as the representative of the Mining Association to act on a committee for the Tax Research on Mines.

President MacBoyle reported that the finances were being raised to allow for a field secretary. The members of the Association are very anxious that this be brought about as it will greatly strengthen the organization.

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SNOWBOUND PROSPECTORS OF BLUE TENT VISIT CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Buckdahl, who are prospecting for gold in the Blue Tent district were Nevada City visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Buckdahl is the tiny prospector who left their camp in the deep snow early in the year and was brought to town by three Nevada State mining men, when she had climbed up through several feet of snow to the roadside.

They had walked in from camp and purchased supplies to take back.

Both praised Mr. George Calanan and Mrs. Eleanor Hoeft De Weins and wished to thank them publicly for their assistance and also for Mrs. De Weins permission to remain at the camp they live in.

Mr. Buckdahl was a partner of the late Mr. Tilton and has been in this section about 27 years.

Some time back Sheriff Carter became alarmed over them thinking they might have perished in the cold and looked them up.

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TAHOE ROAD IS OPENED BY HIGHWAY SNOW PLOW

State highway plows, which have been working during the past week to open the Tahoe-Truckee road, plowed their way through to Tahoe City last Sunday.

The plows left a ditch behind them ten feet deep in most places. Where they cut through town, directly in front of the Tahoe Inn, a snow bank thirteen feet high is left. A parking space shoveled out Sunday morning was packed full of cars to the last foot of space before noon.

The plows are now working their way to the state highway camp near the mouth of the Truckee River, and when this road is cleared they will begin on the strenuous undertaking of clearing the lake shore highway from Tahoe City to the California-Nevada state line near Lakeside, Lake Tahoe.

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BEE CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE DECIDED TONIGHT

The B basketball championship of the Sierra Foothill League will be determined in a game to be played at Red Men's hall tonight between the Nevada City high schol and the Lincoln high school of Placer county. The winner of the game will enter the semi-finals against the winner of the Valley League.

The starting line-up for Nevada City tonight will include Toccalini, center; Sbaffi and Chapman, forwards, and Wasley and Tucker, guards. Others who probably will have a chance on the floor are McMinn and Tamblyn, forwards; Celio, center, and Barry and Renfrow, guards.

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F. S. Powell of San Francisco was in Nevada City over the holiday, and a caller at The Nugget office.

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The State Compensation Insurance Fund had better be on its toes as we have two aspirants for the assembly pledged to work to cut down compensation insurance.

Tax reduction is another popular vote bait. With the Sixth District comprising 10 mountain counties, beginning with Nevada county and extending to and including Mariposa county on the south, it is a difficult and expensive campaign. As a result most of the campaigning will be done through the newspapers.

Nevada County is seeking a candidate who will go to the legislative halls pledged to work for the interest of the mining industry. It is hoped that some candidate will come forth within the next few weeks from this county. It is not likely that a candidate will come from Placer county, and that county probably would support a Nevada county assembly candidate because the Senate candidate comes from that county and will receive the hearty support of Nevada County voters.

E. P. W.

Members of the Northwest Mining Association, who will meet at Tacoma next month, probably will endorse an act similar to the "Mining Securities Act" for Washington. This is a so-called filing act making it obligatory on all companies offering original stock issues to file complete information with state and county authorities, and fixing proper penalties for any misrepresentations in the official prospectus or in any advertising or printed matter.

"There is no remote liklihood," reports Mining Truth of Spokane, "that the association's securities committee will recommend a blue-sky bill granting any discretionary powers whatever to any commission or supervisor.

"The Northwest Mining Association has historically been opposed to laws which permit commissions or supervisors to interfere with legitimate financing, but place no obstacles in the way of high-pressure sales of listed stocks at inflated valuations."

If you think times are hard, listen to Editor M. P. Rinlaub of Platteville, Wisconsin, 94 years old. He remembers when times were hard indeed.

"Today's editors don't know what hard times are," he says. "When I started my paper in Platteville we seldom saw cash. All the return came from circulation, and that was paid in vegetables, eggs, potatoes, hogs, or crooked wood the farmers couldn't use themselves. We seldom got real money for advertising."

The aged editor started his paper in the sivties.

The publisher was highly pleased by the letters received from her readers during the past week congratulating her on her return from the hospital and making favorable comments on The Nugget's efforts in behalf of mining. These are a few of the many such letters received.

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ter and showcase such as was used in the early merchandising establishments during the 50's and 70's. Instead of ringing up the amount put in the cash drawer by pressing a lever this register is properly used by dropping a small iron marble into a slot. This raises a tab showing the amount and the marble rolls down a trough so that at the end of a days business all the marbles in the various troughs are counted and the totals should give the amount of the days business.

Leaving Rough and Ready the road climbs rapidly toward Grass Valley, four miles distant. Old mining dumps are passed to the right and left and shortly after reaching the junction with the Bridgeport road the motorist secures a marvelous view of the snow capped peaks to the left. Dominating the sky line is that immense razor back peak, the Sierra Buttes. Proceeding along the back of the ridge the highway now enters Grass Valley, the metropolis of California's Sierra Nevada Mountains. Entering the city the motorist looks down on the four story Bret Harte Inn and the other business buildings. Here in this city, which with its neighbor, Nevada City, gives access to the Yuba River Canyon Country, are to be found many things of interest which will be the subject of a future bulletin.

Announcement of his candidacy for nomination as Assemblyman from the Sixth Assembly district of which Nevada County is a part, was made recently by Thomas Maul, well-known El Dorado County attorney, at Placerville.

Mr. Maul is city attorney at Placerville and the legal advisor of the El Dorado Irrigation District. A graduate of the University of California Law school, he was the first president of hte Donner Council of Lions and has otherwise been active in civic work.

During the World War he was a Second Lieutenant of Infantry, unassigned.

His formal statement of his candidacy follows:

"In formally announcing my candidacy for State Assemblyman from the Sixth Assembly District, I wish to state that if elected to this office, I will at all times be pposed to any move tending to increase taxation; hat I am opposed to the use of the gasoline tax for the purpose of paying any portion of the existing bonded indebtedness of the state, believing that said tax should be used for the purpose of constructing and maintaining roads and highways, and that if the revenue derived from said gasoline tax is greater than is necessary for the purpose of maintaining and improving the State Highway System, a larger proportion of the same should be allotted to the various counties for the improvement of county roads not included in the highway system.

"I shall always support any constructive move to further the interest of mining or agriculture, and it elected to this office, it shall be my earnest endeovor to represent all classes and all portions of the District fairly and impartially.

"I believe my training and experience qualifies me for this office and I respectfully solicit the support and vote of the voters of the Sixth Assembly District."

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ROAD BULLETINS TELL HISTORY OF GOLD CAMP

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to foster and encourage mining, to insure adequate protection of natural resources to bring about a more certain and profitable marketing of fruits and other produce of California and to continue the development of the mountain counties through highway extension and construction.

He is particularly interested in reform legislation to reduce the present prohibitive costs of state mining compensation, water conservation and in rigid tax economies.

A detailed statement of his policies and explanation of his views on current issues of importance will be issued shortly, Thomas stated, setting forth his ideas in full and outlining his plans for bringing about the things in which he is interested for the sake of the residents of the district.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Would Buy Ore—

Percy A. Carr of 212½ Broad street, Nevada City, has filed an application for a license as an ore buyer. There is no ore buyer now located in Nevada City and frequent calls are made by small miners for an opportunity to cash their nuggets and dust.

Election Officers Wanted—

City Clerk George A. Calanan has issued a request that all persons wishing to serve as election officers a tthe coming municipal election file their names with him at the city hall. The election will be held April 11.

Service Honors Washington—

A special service at the Methodist church Sunday evening paid reverence to George Washington. Ben Sweeney gave a patriotic cration and Rev. Bucknerr delivereu an appropriate address. Boy Scouts of Nevada City had been especially invited to attend the service.

To Play Native Sons—

Nevada City Cardinals are to meet the Grass Valley Native Sons in a basketball game at Red Men's hall here Saturday night. The Grass Valley five has a victory to its credit in the only game between the two teams for the season. The locals are practicing hard, however, expecting to turn the tables tomorrow night.

Two Delicate Operations—

Rudolph Wurm had a rose thorn removed from his eye, very close to the pupil, by Dr. W. P. Sawyer recently. Cal Christensen, auto repairman, who got a piece of steel in his eye while at work, also had it removed by Dr. Sawyer.

Mrs. W. L. Mobley Honored—

The birthday of Mrs. W. L. Mobley was celebrated by members of the Birthday Club at a recent meeting with Mrs. Mobley. One o'clock luncheon was served. The hostess was the recipient of many pretty gifts as souvenirs of the day.

Bishop Moreland Coming—

Bishop Moreland, head of the diocese of Sacramento, will preach and confirm a class in Trinity Episcopal church here next Sunday at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Lydia Talbot, choir director, is preparing special music for the occasion.

ALASKA OWNER IS DEAD AT BAY

Brigadier General Walter S. Schuyler, 81, one of the old army Indian fighters, died in San Francisco about ten days ago.

Death came unexpectedly following an operation at the Letterman General Hospital .The general had entered the hospital about a week before from Carmel, where he had made his home since his retirement in 1913.

General Schuylar began his career as a lieutenant under the famous Indian fighter, General Crook, when Custer was making his last fight against the Sioux Indians. He was General Crook's aide-de-camp.

From fighting the Indians he went to the Spanish-American War and saw service in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Phillipines. From these hot tropical places he went to frigid Manchuria as American military observer with the Russian army during the Russo-Japanese War.

For many years General Schuyler inaugurated and successfully conducted various mining enterprises in Nevada and Sierra Counties. For his age his accomplishments were far beyond the average of humankind. He was ever the courtly, chivalrous gentleman as a soldier or in everyday life, and had a great number of friends in this section who will regret his passing.

General Schuyler had a beautiful home at Carmel-by-the-Sea, where he has lived since about the time of the closing of the Alaska Mine on Oregon Creek, which he operated and in which he holds a controlling interest.

In a recent conversation with Mr. Ben Hall of Nevada City he stated that he was employed at the Alaska Mine when a rich strike of ore was made. Part of it was taken out in a box about a foot or 14 inches wide and three and a half feet long. Much of it was pure gold and one of the prettiest sights nearly ever seen by mining men. A heavy flow of water prevents further operating of this vein until ways are devised to unwater the shaft.

The general has visited the property several times recently and from time to time it was reported that the rich gold producer was to be reopened.

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Three Motorists in Court—

Three Nevada City motorists were hailed before the court of Justice of the Peace Oscar Winburn at Grass Valley Tuesday on traffic charges. F. W. Browning and E. F. Fischer were given suspended sentences of $25 for driving on the wrong side. Darrel E. Moody, charged with cutting in, was given a similar sentence.

Goes Under Knife—

Miss Lucille Jefford, daughter of W. R. Jefford, Grass Valley undertaker, was operated upon recently at the Jones Memorial Hospital for relief of adhesions that have developed since an appendix operation of a year ago.

Manager Visits Bowman—

Walking the seven-mile snow trail between Graniteville and Lake Bowman, Manager William Durbrow of the Nevada Irrigation District made an inspection of conduit re-opening and repair work there. Durbrow went to Graniteville by stage Monday, completing the inspection Tuesday. He returned to Graniteville Wednesday and arrived home yesterday.

Pleads Not Guilty—

A plea of not guilty was entered in the justice court at Grass Valley Tuesday by Eleanor J. Welch, arrested recently in Arizona and returned here by Sheriff Carter to face a charge that she removed an automobile from the state unlawfully.

Superintendent of Schools Visits

County Superintendent of Schools Mrs. Ella M. Austin visited the schools of North San Juan and Sweetland Wednesday.

"Cass" Kennedy, automobile editor of the Oakland Tribune, spent Sunday in the Nevada City-Grass Valley section, taking pictures of various objects of interest. He also took some pictures of the Tahoe Ukiah highway that is under construction. Before returning to Oakland he covered the Colusa-Williams unit of the highway.

W. W. Waggoner has received word that his cousin, Chief Engineer, W. H. Kirkbride ,of the Southern Pacific Company, had his arm broken in three places near the socket in the shoulder, recently, when a hand car he was on was hit by the train. It is expected he will make a complete recovery.

Ralph E. Deeble, deputy county clerk, who lives in Grass Valley, has so far recovered from an auto accident of last May 17th that he was able to resume his duties last Tuesday. He had both arms broken and a leg broken in the mishap.

Miss Helen Jones, assistant librarian at Hollister, and sister, Miss Nancy Jones, student at Stanford University, spent last week end with their parents, Judge and Mrs. W. L. Jones. Miss Isabel Morgan of Palo Alto was their guest over the holiday.

Guests at the R. L. Paine home over the week end were, Mrs. M. Ross and daughter, Mrs. M. McLean of Sacramento; Mrs. Kate Allison and daughter, Mrs. Addie Young of Oakland, and all former North Bloomfield residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cook of Merced, and brother, Mr. Edwin Cook and wife of Oakland spent the last week end in Nevada City. Mrs. Harry Cook is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs .E. R. McMath and daughter, Mrs. Edward Trimmer and small son, of the bay regoin, spent last week end with Mrs. McMath's sister, Mrs. Charles Guenther and husband.

Chief of Police Lloyd W. Jennings is about again after a couple of week's illness, being on duty for a portion of each day, until he regains his health.

Visitors at the home of Mrs. Simon Hieronimous last week end were, Mr. and Mrs. A. De Matei, Mr. and Mrs. John Ferry, and Carl Hieronimous, all of San Francisco.

University of California students who spent the week end at home were, Misses Frances Davey, Helen Chapman, Elzear Foley and William Rector.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. N. Ott, Jr., and little son of Sacramento were recent visitors at the home of his parents in Nevada City.

Miss Dorothy Tamblyn, student at the College of the Pacific, spent the holidays in Nevada City with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Tamblyn.

A pretty new fence has been built in front of the Holmes Funeral Home that adds much to the looks of the property and also keeps out straying animals.

Scott Rundy, student at College of the Pacific, Stockton, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Rundy, over last week end.

Carroll Coughlan and Tom Hogan who are attending St. Mary's college, spent the week end in Nevada City with relatives.

Roger Pryor of Maxwell visited with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martine, over last week end.

Miss Dorothy Sawyer, who teaches in the Modesto schools, was a holiday visitor at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Sawyer.

J. F. Colley and Miss Winnie Malloy visited with his son, Ellsworth Colley, at Tudor, last Sunday.

Ray Murchie of the Alpha Stores, Ltd., has returned to his work after a week's illness.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Ivey have had as a week end guest, Mrs. Frank McKeon of San Francisco.

James O'Connell, mining man of Alleghany was a week end visitor in Nevada City.

Richard Parsons of Nevada City spent several days in the early part of the week visiting in Berkeley.

Attractive Fence—

Mr. George Curnow is remodeling the house he purchased recently. It is situated next to the house of Miss Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dolan spent the holidays visiting his relatives in San Francisco, returning home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Anderson of Bodie were recent arrivals registered at the National Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. O. McCraney and family were recent Sacramento visitors.

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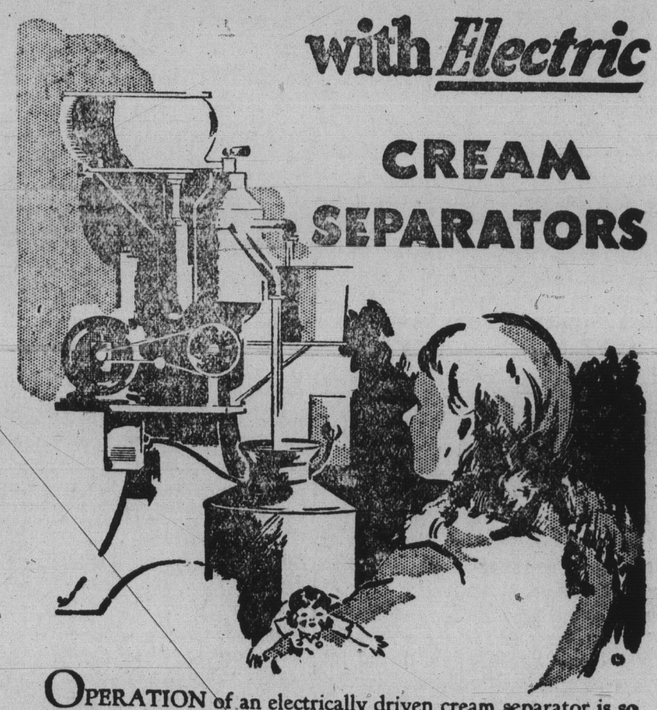

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16-FOOT BLANKET OF SNOW WHITENS SCOUT HILL CAMP

Camp Pahatsi, Boy Scout summer camp of the Tahoe Area Council is now under a 16-foot blanket of snow and furnishes not only a thrilling site but a paradise for ski enthusiasts, according to Harris Ricksecker, Scout executive.

"Imagine a two-foot blanket of snow over the ridge of the lodge," said Ricksecker: "snow laying level with the top of the second story windows in the east end of the building; the old cook shack completely covered and Kilborn Lake a succession of drift ridges of snow!

"The snow fence above the Southern Pacific railway is covered; snow is within a foot of the top of the water tank; the latrine building is almost lost to sight, only the ends being exposed where snow had sluffed away."

That briefly is the picture that the Scout executive and a party of three found on a visit to the camp during the last week end.

"What a setting and what an experience it would be to have a winter camp under the snow conditions of the present!" Ricksecker remarked; "to enter a door through a tunnel under 17 feet of snow. It was a thrill to ski from the top of the lodge, normal 23 feet above ground, out on the lake."

Inside the lodge it was dark, dry and warm even without a fire. No damage apparently has been done to the buildings, either from snow or falling trees.

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New Primative Areas Are Added in National Forests

Two new primative areas in the national forests of California have just been created by Chief Forester R. Y. Stuart, Washington, D. C., according to a statement by S. B. Snow, U. S. regional forester. These are the Devil Canyon-Bear Canyon primitive area embracing 56 square miles and including the entire drainage basins of Devil, Bear and Chileno canyons in the Angeles National Forest; and the San Rafael primitive area of 117 square miles located on the main crest of the San Rafael range in the Santa Barbara National Forest. The Devil Canyon-Bear Canyon area covers the mountainous country in the vicinity of Mt. Islip, with elevations reaching over 8,000 feet. The San Rafael area includes Bald Mountain and Big Pine Mountain which reach over 6,800 feet elevation.

Mr. Leland Smith and Mr. McCain who are both with the Tahoe Forest Service, spent Sunday at Truckee enjoying the snow sports. Mrs. Smith served a delicious turkey dinner upon their arrival home.

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Nevada City Library Gets Non-Fiction Book Legacy

Frederick C. Norton, eccentric hermit who died in his cabin near Lake Vera in November, 1926, left a legacy of something over $300 in cash to the Nevada City library to be used for the purchase of non-fiction books, it developed here Friday when Superior Judge Raglan Tuttle issued an order distributing the estate.

He also left a tract of land in the Lake Vera district to Lawrence Rickard. He left instructions for the burial of his body in a plain pine box or roll of canvas within 100 feet of his lonely cabin. "For this $50—no more," he wrote in his will.

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NEW SEPARATION PROCESS IS GIVEN

"Why crush 2,000 pounds of ore to recover 25 to 50 pounds of valuable mineral if the mineral can be won without all that expenditure of effort?" say the engineers of the United States Bureau of Mines in proposing a new preparatory process described before the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers in session recently at New York City.

The new process, discovered by John Gross, metallurgist, and R. S. Dean, chief engineer of the metallurgical division of the Bureau of Mines, makes a notable advance in the art of recovering commercially valuable minerals from the relatively worthless rocks in which they occur.

As part of the government program under direction of the Bureau of Mines, with the object of developing the mineral resources of the country, these metallurgists have shown it possible to shatter the ore by the explosion of steam induced in the honeycomb-like internal structure of the mineral. This decrepitation results in separating a large part of the mineral from the rock in more or less powdered form easily prepared for final reduction.

The expense of the new process is comparatively small, the cost of of the explosive energy used being calculated at 1 cent per ton of ore as compared with the previous expense for grinding or 5 to 10 cents per ton including rock and mineral.

Essential details are revealed in the Bureau of Mines Report of Investigations 3118.

NEW COMPANY TO OPEN OLD DEPOSIT

It is authoritatively stated that the United States Chrome Mines, Inc., has purchased and taken over the old chrome mine property of about 1750 acres across the river below Rattlesnake bridge, according to the Placer Gold of Loomis.

The company is said to have $250,000 to use in developing the enterprise if necessary. This is according to E. W. Bedford, consulting engineer and production manager for the company.

The company plans to do a great deal of development work immediately and will install a 400-ton mill. It is stated that with modern methods ore from 10 per cent up can be run through the mill profitably.

The present plans call for trucking the ore to Folsom, shipping it to Oakland, and to the Atlantic seaboard and Europe by ship. According to Bedford, the company has an assured market for the ore, it being said that this ore is now extensively used in building in the eastern cities and that its use is constantly increasing.

Production is expected to commence about April 1. This property was extensively worked during the war when the ore commanded a high price.

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ASSESSORS AGREE ON CUT IN VALUES

By virtue of an agreement made between assessors of Northern California counties at their recent annual meeting in Willows, reductions in valuations on chattel holdings will be the rule this year.

Bulls, all grades—$50.
Dairy cows, all grades—$25.
Stock cattle—$15.
Beef steers ready for market—$30.
Grain, all kinds—$7 a ton.
Hay, baled, alfalfa—$8 a ton.
Hogs—2 cents pound.
Goats, all kinds—$1.50 each.
Lambs, Dec. and Jan.—50c.
Poultry—$2.50 a dozen.
Turkeys—$3 a dozen.
Horses, work (good)—$30.
Horses, stock (common)—$10.
Mules, work (good)—$30.
Mules, stock (common)—$10.
Beehives—$1 each.
Lumber at mill—$10 per M.
Lumber at yard or R. R.—$15 per M.
Beans, any kind—$1.75 cwt.

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A Chicago bride who thought her husband was a prosperous business man came down town one day and found him sitting on the street corner with a tin cup. Probably she would have been less shocked and surprised had she found him dining with a couple of flappers.

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One thing about the gruff and unsociable man, you never suspect that he is planning on trying to sell you a gold brick.

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Every drunk man should not pass a blind beggar without giving him something. He might be blind, too, some day.

FRUIT DIET URGED BY CRONWELL IN 15TH ARTICLE OF HIS HEALTH SERIES

(Article Fifteen of a series of health articles written by Dr. B. G. Cronwell, chiropractor and food scientist, formerly of San Francisco, now temporarily located in Nevada City.)

Now is a very good time to check up on yourself and see just how much headway you are making after following my advice for fourteen weeks. I wonder how many realize that this year is nearly one sixth gone and if you don't look out, another year will have slipped by and you are still following the same oid routine of eating.

Meat, potatoes, bread, butter, cup of tea or coffee and a piece of cake or pie, two or three times a day. Do you know that eating is such a thing that before they eat some people always pray?

The above-mentioned meal would not shorten life more than one-third, if the meat was taken quite rare, the potatoes baked or boiled and eaten with the jackets and centers dug out and fed to the house pets, the coffee black and the tea with plenty of milk, the bread made from coarsely ground wheat, and a piece of plain cake or fruit pie. Only very poor families live on such plain meals. There is usually added to this meal plenty of butter condiments, cookies, crackers, jellies preserves, catsup, soup relishes, cream, etc. A small grist mill which may be operated by hand can be purchased for about $4 and if the wheat is fed in very slowly the mill will do the work quickly and without much hard work. The mill may be adjusted to grind coarse or fine. Wheat can be purchased for one and a half cents a pound, which makes good flour at a rock bottom price. After passing the wheat through the mill the coarse cracked particles of wheat may be sifted out and used for a breakfast cereal.

The writer does not believe in breakfast foods from grains.

Fresh and cooked fruits furnish the best foods for breakfast. This is the time of year to eat as many oranges as possible. A glass of orange juice is the finest food we can produce.

Remember what I have been telling you right along, that it is only the part of one's food which can be reduced to a liquid that ever enters the blood stream and if you wish to build up your body you must take foods which will liquefy very quickly and pass out through the body. This will enable you to eat every two hours until you have your blood stream stocked and every weak muscle built up to normal. Then you will known what health really is, and one meal a day will satisfy you.

Grapefruit, oranges, orange juice and apples will satisfy your wants up to the evening meal. For this one main meal of the day, after the day's work is finished, one should have plenty of fresh raw vegetable salad with lemon and oil dressing, one cooked vegetable, one dressing, one cooked vegertable, one medium sized piece of lean meat (no pork), and fresh berries, melon or in the winter time some kind of dried fruit which has been soaked over night for dessert. Try this diet for three days and notice how hungry you are and how often you can eat. Then just think about the amount of pure 100 % food you are consuming daily and know that the quality of your blood stream is the same as the quality of your foods. The foods build the blood stream and the blood stream builds the body.

Do not give a second thought to all this talk about syphilitic condition which you have supposed to inherited from your ancestors. For a good many years some doctors have used that as a back door to get away from cases they were practicing on and which showed no sign of improvement. They finally found the door closed when they tried to return.

Movie Men Are Sued After Abandoning Leased Holding

SONORA, Feb. 25 — As gold miners Reginald Denney, screen star, Fred Newmeyer, Hollywood director, and A. LaPresle, their associate, are motion picture experts.

So Miss Julia Conlin charges in a suit for $5,414 filed here in which she alleges they damaged the Experimental Gulch gold mine near Columbia to that extent—while trying to extract gold from it.

Miss Conlin filed the suit as executrix of the estate of the late Thomas Conlin. She sets forth that Denney and the others, years ago, became interested in mining and leased the mine from Conlin.

They abandoned it last August, she says, and it was discovered later that they had dumped dirt into a winze, rendering useless, and otherwise damaging the property.

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Does it not sound reasonable, when I tell you that you are weak and sick just because you have been trying to live on denatured, demineralized and devitalized stuff (not food) just because you see most every one around you doing it? Quit following the world and the world will follow you. You are not doing right by your employer when you live so you can not do a fair day's work in return for your wages.

If you want to make your work easier, then add one head of nice crisp lettuce to your evening meal. Try this for 30 days and see how little other food you will care for and see how full of pep you are when you return home after eight or ten hours of strenuous labor.

Most men go to work with their stomachs full of dead food which will not digest for five or six hours and because their stomachs are full they do not feel hungry and can continue to work. After taking five hours to digest these foods have passed through the alimentary tract leaving practically no valuation in the way of minerals to build up tissues, to replace that wasted away by hard work.

The body is a wonderful mechanism to be able to go on like that for 30 to 50 years, just owing to the strength and vitality inherited from the ancestors.

Just a word about meat. I say take it very rarely. Why? Because flesh does not build flesh. The only nourishment we can get from meat is the chemical elements in the fluid of the tissue at the time of slaughtering. The tissue also contains all of the waste matter, the by-products of matabalism, the toxic poisons which were on their way to the organs of elimination. These toxins act as a powerful stimulant on the heavy meat eater, and he feels stronger and usually overworks and injures himself. Keep meat away from this person for two days and he will be weak-kneed and think he is going to die. This person better take some good advice and follow it until the tissue is built up, or he will soon find himself weak-kneed and passing out of the picture even when he has all the meat his stomach will hold.

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The California Debris Commission will hold a public hearing at 11:00 A. M., March 1, 1932, at the California Debris Commission office, 10th Floor, California Fruit Bldg., 4th and J Sts., Sacramento, Calif., to receive protests against granting the application of M. C. Dutton and Fred T. Smith, to mine by the hydraulic process the Bigelow Mine, located near Sierra City Calif., draining into the North Fork of the Yuba Rver, and to store tailings in Bullards Bar Reservoir, about 40 miles below the mine.

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Marysville Auto Stage leaves at 8.00 a. m., for Rough and Ready Smartsville, Hammonton and Marysville. Leaves Marysville at 1:00 p m. Connects at Smartsville for North San Juan.

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EVERGREENS WILL KEEP MEMORY OF REVERED WOMAN

Two evergreen trees have been planted in memory of the late Mrs. P. B. Goss and dedicated to the memory of George Washington by the Tri-County Federation of Women's Clubs on the grounds at the Sheridan Woman's clubhouse. Mrs. May Herold, district chairman of trees, and Mrs. Maggie Lichty, president of the Sheridan club, jointly presided at the indoor ceremonies. Mrs. C. E. Parsons reviewed the life of the illustrious president and Mrs. Carrie Brown of Roseville read the poem "Trees."

At the outdoor ceremony, Mrs. Frank Brock, northern district president, and Mrs. J. T. Chalstran, Tri-County president, in placing the first shovels of earth around the trees, paid loving tribute to the memory of Mrs. Goss. District officers, chairmen, club presidents and friends assisted in placing the dirt around the roots of the trees, Mrs. Lichty being the last in line to participate.

Later a tea was presided over by the Sheridan club members. At this time Mrs. Lichty, in behalf of Mr. Goss, presented to the club an electric clock in memory of his departed wife. Mrs. Brock also presented to the Sheridan club a chair, honoring the memory of her late aunt, Mrs. Phillips.

The Sheridan Women's clubhouse and the lot on which it stands were presented years ago to the Sheridan Club by Mr. and Mrs. Goss.

Free Gold Vein Opened by Placerville Mine Syndicate

PLACERVILLE, Feb. 25—The opening of five feet of free gold ore averaging around $30 a ton in a prospecting shaft on the property of the Kelsey Mining Company on the main vein of the "Mother Lode," about four and a half miles north of here, is reported by officials of the Kelsey Syndicate, Inc. A fine showing of ore was disclosed while grading for the ten-stamp pilot mill that was erected some time ago, below the mouth of the 1700-foot adit tunnel No. 2 of the vein, and this shaft was recently started for the purpose of developing it. The full extent of the rich ore is not yet known, as the vein is much wider than the shaft. An immense tonnage of ore is already blocked out in two tunnel workings driven on the vein, and plans are under way for early construction of the first unit of a proposed 600-ton daily capacity mill.

A friend in need is usually a needy friend who wants to borrow a dollar.

ORE BUYERS' APPLICATION

In compliance with Section 1, Chapter 183, Statutes of 1929, the undersigned, whose principal place of business is at 212½ Broad street, Nevada City, California, hereby gives notice that application has been made to the State Mineralogist for a license to carry on, within the State of California, for the year ending December 31, 1932, the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, refining, purchasing and receiving for sale ores, concentrates and amalgams bearing gold or silver, gold dust, gold and silver bullion, nuggets and specimens.

Protest may be made by any person to the issuing of such license at the office of the State Mineralogist, Ferry Building, San Francisco.

PERCY V. CARR.

Feb. 19, 26, Mar. 4, 11.

Miners Co-operating With Bureau to Increase Safety

Close co-operation in safety activities between the various trade associations representing the mineral industries and the United States Bureau of Mines is achieving highly satisfactory results in the prevention of accidents, states Scott Turner, director of the bureau.

Some of the more significant accomplishments of this kind are reviewed in a statement made by Mr. Turner.

3-FOOT VEIN OF $50 ORE FOLLOWED IN SONORA MINE

SONORA, Feb. 25—Three feet of ore averaging $50 a ton in gold, is being followed in a drift on the 50-foot level of a 65-foot incline shaft on the Barrett mine near Groveland, being operated under lease and bond by Dolph Jacobs of Sonora. Thus far the orebody has been exposed for about 42 feet in length. Much of the rock being extracted shows free gold to the naked eye. Mr. Jacobs plans to erect a small pilot mill on the property in the early spring.

Highly encouraging results are being obtained in development work being prosecuted at the old Densmore mine on the Stanislaus River near Columbia, which was acquired by purchase by G. A. Ogden of Sonora and associates about nine months ago and has since been operated by them. By extending about 20 feet an old 320-foot drift tunnel on the Densmore vein, recently cleaned out and retimbered, four feet of ore assaying $38 a ton in gold has been revealed, it is stated. Conditions prevailing in the face of the working indicate it is nearing a junction with a cross vein. The face of the tunnel gives a vertical depth of about 300 feet on the orebody.

Three shifts of miners are being employed in the unwatering and reconditioning of the 800-foot two-compartment incline shaft on the Bellview mine, seven miles east of Sonora, being operated by Fred N. Baylies of Los Angeles under a 25-year lease. By use of an electric pump, which is lifting 265 gallons a minute, the water has been lowered to the 350-foot point. Manager Roy S. Clements states that the erection of a 100-ton daily capacity mill will be started within 30 days to treat the large tonnage of milling ore available in the extensive workings of the property.

Summer Cabins Increasing With Business Depression

The little summer cabins in the hills are not only surviving the depression but are growing in numbers, according to a report just issued by the United States Forest Service.

The total number of special use permits for summer home sites in effect in the 18 national forests of California was 6,479 at the close of 1931, as compared with 6,092 for 1930 and 5,876 in 1929. Forest Service officials state that about 10 per cent of these vacation residences are now being used as permanent homes, especially in Southern California. The number of permittees and their guests using these summer homes in 1931 is estimated at 330,000, or double the number for the previous year.

"A cat may look at a king," is an old saying, but the cat wouldn't look long if a mouse came in sight.

WHITE BEAR MINE IN SISKIYOU SOLD TO B.C. SYNDICATE

A mining deal of major importance in the Siskiyou district was made last week when the Consolidated Copper and Gold Mines, Limited, of Vancouver, B. C., completed negotiations which will necessitate the immediate operation of the White Bear Mine, according to the Siskiyou News.

George W. Smith of Sawyers Bar, former owner of the White Bear, has been in Yreka for several days making the negotiations with E. Sugarman of Vancouver, attorney for the company; William F. Barta, local attorney for the company, and James Renney, engineer from Vancouver.

Mr. Renney stated Saturday that it is the intention of the new owners to put the mine on a basis which would insure permanent operation of the property.

The White Bear is located nine miles from Sawyers Bar and two miles from the Black Beara postoffice. Mr. Renney stated that the mine was equipped with a modern Ball mill of fifty tons capacity, crushers, concentration and floatation equipment. He stated that he believed it is one of the best equipped in the Siskiyou section. The White Bear is said to have been a good producer and is considered one of the better properties of the section.

It is understood that the company taking over the mine is fully financed, with prominent Vancouver capitalists behind it, who plan a permanent operation of the property

It was understood that a crew of men will start work as soon as the roads are opened.

REGISTRAR RULES FOR MINE OWNER

John C. Ing, registrar of the U. S. Land Office, recently rendered a decision in favor of S. S. Caples, a mine operator, against the Central Pacific Railway Company, involving the rights of the company to certain lands in the vicinity of Duncan Creek, a tributary of the Middle Fork of the American River, about 10 miles northeast of Michigan Bluff, Placer county.

Caples charged in his complaint that the lands sought by the railway company are mineral in character and have been owned and worked by him and his predecessors in interest for years as a part of the Blue Eyes Consolidated Placer Mine.

Register Ing's decision is in favor of Caples and holds, with the exception of the Roy and Edith claims, that the remainder of Caples claims, known as the Manzanita, Newport, Dennison, Robin, Jenny Lind, Gold Eagle, Gold Dollar and Bonanza, are mineral in character and overlie a part of the auriferous channel system of the famous Forest Hill Divide, and therefore are not acquirable by the railway company under its grant from the United States. The decision dismisses the contest as to the Roy and Edith claims.

The decision is subject to appeal to the commissioner of the general land office in Washington, D. C.

DEWATERING JOB OCCUPIES FORD

SAN ANDREAS, Feb. 25—The Ford Mining and Milling Company, a Los Angeles concern, has completed the installation of an electric sinking pump in tthe 750-foot two-compartment incline shaft on the Ford mine near San Andreas. The pump, which is lifting 127 gallons of water a minute, and a 300-gallon baling skip are being used three shifts daily in the dewatering process. Underground development work is being prosecuted on the east vein on the 100-foot level with encouraging results. Superintendent H. A. Derrer states that plans are going forward for the early erection of a 100-ton daily capacity ball mill and concentrating plant on the property.

Superintendent Tony Sturla of the Gold Standad Mining Company states that operations will soon be resumed on its lease covering a large acreage of placer gravel land, located near Vallecita and adjoining on the east the Vallecita Western placer mine. Kenneth R. Wooley of Los Angeles, president of the company, recently visited the property and conferred with Superintendent Sturla on proposed future work.

Englebright's Radio Adds to His Coast News Knowledge

Congressman Harry Englebright has achieved a reputation as an oracle among his California friends by the simple process of staying up late and listening, according to reports reaching here.

At 1 o'clock in the morning, eastern standard time, if he is up, Englebright can and does tune in directly on coast radio stations broadcasting late news reports. And the next morning, before overnight wires are usually received, the gentleman from California can amaze, amuse, and in some cases mystify his friends in Washington with an account of latest happenings on the west coast.

Englebright is unusually fortunate in smething, location, or maybe just super control over a radio, as coast reception is difficult to come by in the capital.

THE PLAN FOR THE GREATEST POSSIBLE ULTIMATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF THE WATERS OF THE BEAR RIVER WATERSHED, PLACER AND NEVADA COUNTIES, CALIFORNIA, IN CONNECTION WITH FOREIGN WATERS NOW DIVERTED THEREINTO, AND OTHER FOREIGN WATERS WHICH CAN BE THUS DIVERTED

(By J. L. ROLLINS)

(Continued from last week)

In the event of a long series of years before the present waster waters from Scott's Flat Reservoir are used for irrigation, a field examination should be made to determine the feasibility of a power development of this water by a short tunnel diversion near Quaker Hill into the Green Horn Creek basin; a syphon across Green Horn Creek, and a canal on its easterly side in connection with a forebay, penstock and power plant at elevation about 2,225 feet on said creek, and developing about 2,000 K. V. A.

The development indicated below the Rollins Reservoir would include the following:

1. A new diverting dam for the Bear River Canal about one mile below its present head dam. This dam is of most economic construction would add six feet to the available power head, would eliminate additional ditch construction, would add to the collecting area for water, and afford a settler one mile long, which would have a special value in the event the hydraulic mines should be rehabilitated.

2. Preferably, enlarge the Bear River Canal by raising its berm sufficient to accommodate the additional water to a point overlooking the Dog Bar bridge.

3. Install a power plant on Bear River at about elevation 1,650 feet, having a power head of about 255 feet.

4. When water shall be demanded for the B. N. Canal for Nevada county, syphon same across Bear River at a point overlooking the Dog Bar bridge and discharge same into a ravine in Nevada county through which the water would gravitate into the B. N. Canal, using the Rollins water meter which provides for a constant uniform discharge with a variable head.

5. As an alternative for 2, 3 and 4, route the water from the new diverting dam into Nevada county, using the Rollins water meter, and thus convey the additional water to a point overlooking Dog Bar bridge; build a power plant at the same elevation on Bear River, being 1650 feet, and on demand, supply the B. N. Canal by lifting a spillway board. It is possible that additional power head is available by this route.

6. Build a canal of approved capacity from the Van Giesen Dam to the Rock Creek Reservoir. Route the Bear River waters therethrough to supply the Wise Power Plant up to installed capacity.

7. Build the Van Giesen Dam to crest at about 1,650 feet, and give a net storage of 95,000 acre feet. This, with the Rollins Reservoir would give a net storage of Bear River waters in amount of 180,000 A. F. This storage in Bear River, together with present and proposed mountain storage, would fairly care for this great project.

8. Utilize any economic power development from the Van Giesen Reservoir enroute for irrigation there- below.

9. Eventually, store 65,000 acre feet of water in the McCourtney Reservoir. This reservoir is adapted for valley irrigation.

10. In event that a large additional amount of hydraulic debris shall course down Bear River, that the Van Giesen Reservoir shall be protected therefrom by building an impounding dam for same above the Dog Bar bridge, with drainage summer.

J. R. D. Matheson, Major, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., member and secretary of the California Debris Commission, extended the writer an opportunity to appear before the commission on July 6, 1931, which was accepted. He presented a paper before the commission entitled:

"Shall the Hydraulic Mines Within the Bear River Basin, Placer and Nevada Counties, California, Be Rehabilitated or Shall They Be abandoned."

We refer very briefly to hydraulic mining investigation in California, as per Senate Document No. 90, 70th Congress, 1st Session, presented by Mr. Jones, April 28, 1928.

"Conclusion of the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors:"

Page 11, par. 21: "It appears that there are still large quantities of gold-bearing gravel so located that the gold could be extracted by the hydraulic process" . . . .

"The average yield is estimated as follows:

"Middle Fork of Yuba River, 10 cents per cubic yard.

"South Fork of Yuba River, 11.5 cents per cubic yard.

"Bear River, 15.7 cents per cubic yard.

"North Fork of American River, 11.5 cents per cubic yard.

"Middle Fork of American River, 10.1 cents per cubic yard.

Page 17, par. 18. "On the Bear River the commission studied four sites, viz. Van Giesen at the Combie Crossing. . . . Parker. . . . Lower Bear River . . . . and the Rollins site" . . . .

Page 23, from Table IV: "Bear River" "Lower Bear, height above stream bed, 117½ feet. Unit cost per yard of debris stored, 1.2 cents. "Rollins, height above stream bed, 71 feet. Unit cost per yard of debris stored, 1.2 cents."

Page 25, Table V shows, "Bear River. Yield in cents per cubic yard, 15.7 cents. 20-year period, 26,500,000 cubic yards", or $4,162,000.

Par. 46. "With this in mind, it seems obvious that, if the policy of storage construction is adopted, it should be first tried out on the Bear River. Here the economic aspects seem satisfactory, it will benefit several mine owners, and in case of failure of mining devolpments, the dam will serve to impound large quantities of old--mining debris now in Bear River basin which will eventually reach the Sacramento River" . . . .

Page 31, par. 58, (h) . . "The logical stream, is the Bear River where the data shows the richest gravel and the cheapest storage. Such experiment would clear up many of the present uncertainties regarding cost of operating and storage."

(To be continued)

West Point and Annapolis Candidates Are Announced

Representative Harry L. Englebright of Nevada City has made the following appointments to West Point and Annapolis from the Second District:

To West Point—Allen Quinter Miller, 2nd, Quincy, principal; Elliott Amick, Roseville, first alternate; Ivory Joseph Callaghan, Alturas, second alternate.

To Annapolis—John Paul Russel, Auburn, principal; Donald Lester Meamber, Yreka, first alternate; Harry Curtis Transure, Roseville, second alternate; and Raymond Bennett Hecker, Rough and Ready, third alternate.

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CAMPTONVILLE NEWS NOTES

CAMPTONVILLE, Feb. 23—Miss Elsie Ann Price, deputy superintendent of schools of Plumas county, left Monday for Quincy after spending the week end visiting her parents here.

Ray Knickrem returned Sunday night from a short visit with friends at Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert H Hamilton left Monday for Sacramento to visit relatives for a few days.

Miss Lola M. Labadie and Mrs. Acton M. Cleveland spent the week end visiting at Browns Valley.

Fred J. Joubert motored to Nevada City Sunday on a short visit.

C. H. Clifton of Freemans Crossing was in town Monday on business.

Earl F. Degrado and friends of the state of Rhode Island arrived Sunday from the east and will remain here for some time.

Miss Katheryne Pauly and brother Myron left Monday for Oakland to resume their studies after spending the week end visiting their parents

Mrs. M. G. Calvin spent most of last week at Oak Valley with Mrs. John G. Ramm taking care of Mrs. M. A. Godfrey, who is critically ill.

Erle Pauly motored to Sacramento Monday on a short visit.

District Attorney J. M. McMahon and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lavezzola and daughter of Downieville were in town Monday on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hamilton entertained a number of friends Saturday evening at their home on Spring street, in honor of Miss Helen McGinnis of Petaluma, who celebrated her birthday on that date. Cards and games were the usual diversion with delightful refreshments served at a late hour. The following were present: Miss Helen McGinnis, Miss Helen Hjort, Elsie Ann Price, Kathreine Pauly, Erle Pauly, Myron Pauly, Winsmore Chapman, Frank W. Maggera, Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Hamilton.

Miss Elsie Ann Price, deputy superintendent of schools of Plumas county, who was home over the week end holiday visiting her parents, was hostess Sunday evening to a number of her friends at a delightful bridge party. The evening was spent playing bridge and games suitable for a Washington's birthday party, Frank W. Maggers winning first prize and Myron Pauly consolation. Delightful refreshments were served following the card games. The following were present: Erle Pauly, Myron Pauly, Miss Katherine Pauly, Frank Maggers, Winsmore Chapman, Miss Helen Hjort, Miss Helen McGinnis, Miss Elsie Ann Price, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Price.

Mrs. Virginia M. Lord of Decoto, a native and former resident of this place, daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. B. Meek, will again sing over the radio Friday morning, February 26, at 7:45 over Station KFRC. She will sing in a duet with Ben O'Brien, a well known singer of San Francisco.

Mrs. Margaret Goldthwait left Friday for Indiana Ranch on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Eldred Jones and children of the Grant & Hoether saw mill are visiting relatives in Nevada City.

Mrs. Acton M. Cleveland motored to Sacramento Friday on a short visit to relatives.

H. Smith of Grass Valley was in this section Friday on a short business vsiit.

Erle Pauly motored to Sacramento Friday on a short visit.

Mrs. Jouis J. Joubert arrived Friday from Oakland to spend a few days visiting relatives here.

Fred J. Joubert motored to Nevada City Friday on business.

L. W. Turner has been engaged during the past few days delivering wood to the Indian Valley Fish Hatchery.

Mrs. Thomas Williams of Indiana Ranch arrived Friday on a short visit with relatives.

Father O'Reiley of Nevada City was in town Friday on a short visit.

Joe McCullough of North San Juan was in town Friday on a short visit.

Mrs. Lee Bullington left Thursday for a visit of a few days with relatives at Sacramento.

J. W. Sutton of Downieville was in town Saturday on a short business visit.

Mrs. Olive Groves and son William of Auburn arrived Friday to spend the week end with relatives.

B. T. Dyer of Los Angeles arrived Friday inspecting his mining property at Indian Hill.

Dr. Clyde Wayland of San Jose arrived Saturday on a visit to the Altaview mine, which property he is operating.

Martin V. Turner of Oroville was in town Sunday visiting his old home here.

Gravel Range Lodge No. 59, F. & A. M., installed officers at the meeting Friday evening. William O. Grant acted as installing officer and Acton M. Cleveland as master of ceremonies. The folllow names compose the corps of officers for the ensuing year: Fred J. Joubert, worshipful master; William O. Grant, senior warden, Fred C. Kendall, junior warden; Julius E. Pauly, treasurer; Acton M. Cleveland, secretary; Erle Pauly, senior deacon; David Lewis, junior deacon; William A. Lang, marshal; J. C. Merriam, chaplain; Ellis B. Clark, senior steward; Jason P. Wilkins, junior steward; William B. Meek, tyler.

Fred Miller, mining engineer of Grass Valley, was in this section Wednesday and Thursday on business.

R. M. McCane of Truckee was in this section Monday and Tuesday on official business, he being an officer in the Forest Service.

Miss Lola Labadie and Mrs. Rachael M. Labadie motored to Nevada City Thursday on business.

Dave Humphrey and Louis Marquardt motored to Indiana Ranch Thursday to attend the funeral of the late Roy Clark.

Mrs. Moser sustained minor injuries Thursday afternoon when she had a bad fall on the sidewalk in front of Calvin's residence on Main street.

Fred B. Hanson spent Thursday grading the Marysville road between here and Bullard's Bar, putting it in very good shape.

Fred Lowe of Oakland arrived Wednesday at Pike City, called by the illness of his brother John.

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George Washington evidently was not much of a fisherman. He is credited with never having told a lie.

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

GENERAL LAND OFFICE at Sacramento, Calif. February 9, 1932.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ray Simmons, of Dobbins, Calif., who, on Mar. 12, 1930, made stockraising HD. entry, No. 024836, for Lots 3 and 4, SE¼NW¼, NE¼SW¼ SW¼ SW¼ Sec. 2, N½N½ SW¼ NE¼, S½NW¼, N½SW¼, Section 10, Township 17-N., Range 7-E., M. D. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. S. Land Office, at Sacramento, Calif., on the 30th day of March 1932.

Claimant names as witnesses:

George Harding of Brownsville, Calif., Clarence Ruth, Chester Merriam, and Johnnie Malone of Dobbins, Calif.

JOHN C. ING, Register.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Bids will be received by the City Council for the fellowing named materials, bids to be opened on Monday, February 15th at Eight o'clock P. M. at the City Hall on Broad Street.

Item 1— 1,000 Linear feet more or less 10 inch double rivited steel, No. 12 gauge, soil proof, wrapped, double dipped, slip joint pipe.

Item 2— 1,000 Linear feet more or less cast iron pipe 70 to 75 pounds weight per linear foot.

Item 3— 1-10 inch Flanged Valve tested to stand 125 pounds pressure with pair flanges drilled to match and bored to fit above 10 inch steel pipe.

Item 4— 1-10 inch Standard Water Works Valve for cast iron pipe tested to 125 pounds pressure. All material to be delivered at Nevada Co .N. G. R. R. Depot.

Item 5— Construction of Fire Proof Reinforced Concrete Vault. Doors to be furnished by the City. Contractor to install said Door inside dimenisons of said vault to be 6 ft. 6 in. wide—10 feet long and 8 feet high,— to be constructed in accordance with plans on file at the City Hall.

Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

R. J. BENNETTS, Mayor.
GEO. H. CALANAN, City Clerk.

An Important Stop on the Tour

FRENCH CORRAL

FRENCH CORRAL, Feb. 23, — After a week of pleasant weather all are in one accord that the severity of our winter is over. In the future 1931-32 will be listed along with 1889-90.

Eevrything now betokens the approach of spring. Frogs are croaking, grass growing, wild flowers budding, "pussy willows" here etc. etc.

Washington's bicentennial passed quietly in this place. Although our hearts were with the multitudes in honoring the memory of the beloved "Father of our Country" we could only give expression in floating our flag over school house and Columbia Parlor's hall.

The school children were given a holiday on the 22nd but a short program was given Friday and a Valentine Party followed.

A social party was given by Mrs. Dunham of the Birchville school last Thursday night. The older people playe dwhist and the children played games. Mr. Wiever, the present owner of the Thos. Phelan place on Shady Creek was in attendance and being a fine banjoist furnished music for dancing. Later, refreshments were served. All voted the first social doings in the new school house a most happy event.

W. E. Moulton made a trip to Sacramento Saturday to bring his daughter, Frances, to spend the week end vacation. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. Sutherland.

Michael O'Connor and sisters, Misses Catherine and Teresa and Lucy, mad ea trip to Grass Valley Saturday. Miss Lucy O'Connor who came to attend Mr. Hall of Birchville in his late illness returned to Sacramento Saturday, continuing her trip from Grass Valley to Sacramento with her brother, Raymond

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dudley of Nevada City spent the week end with Mrs. Dudley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moulton of French Corral.

Kenneth Jarvis, eldest son of the late Mrs. Mary (Dillon) Liddy, is visiting his mother's old home in French Corral.

Mrs. Elsie Schwartz and son, Teddy, of Grass Valley were visiting in French Corral Sunday and Monday.

Mr. R. McNamara made a trip to French Corral Sunday morning. He has been in constant attendance with his wife, who is at the Jones Memorial hospital in Grass Valley, in a critical condiiton. He reports her condition unchanged.

Mr. and Mrs . J. W. Culver and Mr. Culver's sister, Mrs. N. Putnam of Dixon made a trip to Grass Valley Sunday frenoon. Mr. and Mrs. Culver returned to French Corra Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterns and son, Junior of Gridley visited the family of A. Browning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Franciscovich and Mrs. Belle Taylor of Marysville were Sunday visitors. Mrs Taylor remained in French Corral and will visit for the week.

Clyde Bishop, who has been making an extended visit in this place accompanied his mohter, Mrs. Franciscovich to Marysville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hatch and children of Nevada City were visitors at the Brownnig home Sunday

Supervisor Joseph Frank of Rough and Ready was a visitor in this section today.

We have learned that the electric in Sweetland is completed and the juice was turned on Saturday afternoon.

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NOTICE OF ELEECTION

Notice is hereby given that a general Municipal Election will be neld in the City of Nevada, on Monday, the 11th day of April, A D., 1932, for the election of the following officers:

Three (3) trustees for the full term of four years.

There will be one voting precinct for the purpose of holding said election, consisting of a consolidation of the regular election precincts established for holding state or county elections, as follows: Consolidated voting precinct "A," comprising state and county precincts numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4, and the polling place thereof shall be at the City Hall, on Broad Street. The polls shall be open between the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p. m.

GEORGE H. CALANAN, City Clerk.

Dated February 23, 1932.
First Publication, Feb. 26, 1932

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE WATER

Application 7072

State of California, Department of Public Works, Division of Water Resources, Sacramento.

Notice is hereby given, that RELIEF HILL MINING CO., North Bloomfield, California, has under the date of September 3, 1931, applied to the Division of Water Resources, Department of Public Works, State of California, for a permit to appropriate unappropriated water, subject to existing rights.

Description of Project

Water to be appropriated from (1) Rob Roy (2) Deadman (3) Roscoe & (4) Logan Canyons tributary (1) & (2) Poorman's Creek, thence S. Fork Yuba River, (3) & (4) S. Fork Yuba River, County of Nevada.

Amount applied for: Total of 100 cubic feet per second (25 cubic feet per second from each source.)

Diversion season named: January 1st to December 31st of each season.

Water to be used for Mining & domestic purposes.

Point of diversion within (1) SW ¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 25 (2) NE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 26 (3) SE¼ of NE¼ & (4) SW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 34. All in T. 18 N., R. 10 E., M. D. B. & M.

Place of use described: Relief Hill Mine within Sections 4 and 9, T. 17 N., R. 10 E., M. D. B. & M., as shown on map filed with the Division of Water Resources.

Water will be returned to South Fork Yuba River within SE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 8, T. 17 N., R. 10 E., M. D. B. & M.

Relative To Protests

Blanks upon which to submit protests will be supplied free upon request by the Division of Water Resources.

Any person desiring to protest against the granting of such permit shall within 60 days from date hereof, file with the Division of Water Resources, Sacramento, California, a written protest. Such protest shall clearly set forth the protestant's objections to the granting of the appliciation and shall contain the following information:

(1) Statement of the injury which would result to protestant from such appropriation and use.

(2) The basis of protestant's water right.

(3) Protestant's past and present use of water both as to amount used and land irrigated, or use made of water if other than irrigation.

(4) The approximate location of such land or place of use and of the point of diversion of the water.

A copy of the protest should be sent to the applicant and this office notified that the same has been done.

EDWARD HYATT, State Engineer.

Dated: Sacramento, California, February 18, 1932.

Published Feb. 26, Mar. 4, 11, 18.

Supervisors Are Home—

Chairman R. A. Eddy and Supervisors Harry Goudge, J. A. Frank and Alex Robertson have returned from San Bernardino, where they attended the annual meeting of California supervisors. Supervisor Dudley and Mrs. Dudley of North Bloomfield are visiting relatives in Los Angeles, expecting to be home this week end.

Wed at Grass Valley—

Miss Eleanor Leonard, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Leonard of Gold Flat, and Harley Arehart of Colfax were married at Grass Valley Wednesday of last week. Rev. E. O. Chapel performed the ceremony. The couple will live at Colfax, where the groom is in business.

H. M. Cooper of Auburn, division manager of the Pacific Gas and Elcetric Company, was a visitor in Nevada City Monday.

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NEW TRIAL JURY VENIRE IS CALLED FOR MARCH 1

A superior court venire was drawn this week by Superior Judge Raglan Tuttle, to report March 1 and 2.

The cases of John Spagnoli, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon, and Steve Sodja, charged with driving an automobile while intoxicated, are to be heard on these dates, and both have demanded a jury trial.

The jury venire follows:

Nevada Township: Mrs. E. Shurtleff, Thomas N. Coan, Joseph W. Day, Mrs. Lina M. Towle, Michael M. Coughlan.

Grass Valley Township: Thomas Prator, Louis E. Sleeman, Josiah Andrew, Charles H. Mill, J. David Binkleman, Charles H. Elster, Mrs. Esther H. Schwartz, Agnes M. Campbell, Wm. E. Parsons, Fred J. Donnelly, Joseph D. Archibald, Stephen C. Harvey, Henry J. Snyder, Willis E. Peasless, Louis R. Gerky, Peter Johnson, B. L. Van Duzer, Albert W. Quick, August Welfe, Charles P. Gudge, Mrs. Teresa V. Mulroy.

Rough and Ready Township—Thomas Hocking.

Little York Township—David H. Jones, Charles H. Gearhart.

Eureka Township—A. C. Travis.

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GOVERNOR ROLPH WILL DEDICATE TRAIL MONUMENT

Widespread publicity has been given to the dedication of the Historic Marker commemorating the discovery of gold in Placer County along the famous Path of Gold Trails of '49. The ceremony which will take place at noon on Saturday, under the auspices of the Tri-County Federation of Womens Clubs of Placer Nevada and El Dorado Counties, will be the unveiling of an attractive marker donated by Alta California, Inc., located on a spot a few feet from where the historical event took place, by Governor James Rolph, Jr.

The Governor will be the guest of honor at the luncheon served in the Auburn High School auditorium by the Wednesday Club of Applegate, and after the ceremony will continue on his way to Lake Tahoe where he is to be the honorary official of the National Ski Tournament being conducted to the sports carnival by Senator Bert Cassidy.

Numerous two column cuts and the story of the event were released to the metropolitan papers by the publicity department of Alta California, Inc., and the press clippings show this to be one of the publicized events of the year for the gold counties, Placer, Nevada and El Dorado.

A big turn out should be on hand to greet the Governor, and to establish the importance of the historical value of the days of '49 in this year of tourist travel to California to see the 1932 Olympic Games, during which time thousands will want to review the "Land of '49" and tell the story of their visit to the historic empire of gold which created the first influx of travelers, making its later fame ring throughout the world.

Radio publicity over K F B K takes the form of a fifteen minute program on Friday night, February 26th, at 7 P. M. which will tell the story and give three musical numbers all in keeping with the Saturday's celebration.

SUPERIOR COURT

Last Friday was a busy day for Superior Court Judge Raglan Tuttle He issued the following orders:

Norton vs. Adams— Demurrer overruled. Defendant given ten days to answer.

C. H. Munro vs. Mary E. Langley —Motion for new trial argued and respective parties granted time to file briefs.

R. D. McAfee vs. J. M. Hoff—Demurrer continued to March 4th.

Estates of Elizabeth Williams, Elizabeth Kahl, Gustave Schmidt, deceased—Hearings continued until March 4th.

Est. William S. Partridge, deceased—Administratrix discharged

Est. Gerad Crispin, deceased—Entire estate distributed to widow.

Grass Valley Garage vs. Green—Hearing continued to Mar. 4th.

Est. George Fletcher, deceased—Agnes Barry named administratrix.

Est. of Richard Quick, deceased—Estate set aside to widow.

Est. of Alice Belle Girard, deceased—Will admitted to probate. Francis J. Girard appointed executor.

Est. Frank G. Brown, deceased—Fred M. Brown appointed administrator.

Est. G. J. Schmidt, deceased—Decree establishing due notice to creditors.

Est. John Fantone, deceased—Lila M. Champion, public administrator, appointed administratrix. J W. O'Neill appointer appraiser.

Est. John Doltar, deceased—Final account settled and estate distributed.

Est. U. S. Othet, deceased—Final account settled and distribution granted.

Est John For.man, deceased—Sale of real estate confirmed.

Est. Fred C. Norton, deceased—Final account approved and distribution ordered.

Guardianship Martin Francis Beebe—J. Estelle discharged and sureties released.

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MRS. PARSONS TO HEAD ARBOR DAY ACTIVITIES HERE

With Mrs. Luther Burbank as honorary chairman of Arbor Day, California is planning a tree-planting tribute to the memory of the immortal "plant wizard" on his birthday anniversary, March 7th.

Arbor Day activities are being sponsored by the Outdoor Christmas Tree Association of California and a plea is being sent to garden clubs, women's organizations, civic groups schools, chambers of commerce and other civic organizations to plant outdoor Christmas trees suitable for outdoor decoration in future years, on Luther Burbank's birthday.

According to Clarence F. Pratt, State president of the Outdoor Christmas Tree Association, reports received from scores of organizations which are planning Arbor Day observances indicate that several thousand trees will be planted that day along our State Highways, in public parks and other appropriate places. A number of organizations will make the California Arbor Day the occasion for tree-planting in honor of the Washington Bicentennial in cooperation with the program of the American Tree Association to plant 10,000,000 trees throughout the Nation this year.

The director of the Outdoor Christmas Tree Association, for this district is Mrs. Charles E. Parsons of Nevada City. Mrs. Parsons has been active in this work and has taken a course in forestry and tree planting. Her husband is the owner of the famous Gillette Nursery of Nevada City and she takes an active part in assisting in the study of the different species of trees, plants and shrubs.

MINING BRIEFS

Has Eye Injured—

W. G. Weaver, river miner on the South Yuba, lost an eye Tuesday when struck in the face by a streel drill. He was taken to a Grass Valley hospital where surgical attion was given him.

Edw. Salaney, formerly of Calaveras County representing large eastern capital, was here looking over mining property.

Ralph Bender of San Francisco, International Mining Engineer, and newly elected mining appraiser, expects to be here some two weeks viewing property.

L. E. Stine of San Francisco was a week end visitor in Nevada City.

W. V. Wilson, former Alleghany mining man, and George Frye of Palo Alto, registered at the National Hotel last week end.

Mr. Samuel Beber of San Francisco was a recent business visitor in Nevada City.

Wm. H. Pringle, mineralogist form San Francisco, was here doing some extensive work connected with mining.

George Nightengale, mining man of Goodyears Bar, spent a couple of days in Nevada City, and was registered at the National Hotel.

James Grimes, who is interested in the American Flag Mine near the Alaska property on Oregon Creek, is spending a few days in Nevada City.

Native Sons Install Officers—

New officers were installed Tuesday night by Hydraulic Parlor, No. 56, Native Sons of the Golden West. The new staff includes Arthur Davis, president; Verne Gleason, first vice-president; Frank Davies, second vice-president; Watt Watters, third vice-president; Dr. C. W. Chapman, recording secretary; George Neagle, financial secretary; A. H. Craig, trustee; Thomas G. Richards, treasurer; R. A. Eddy, marshal; E. J. Kilroy, inside sentinel; E. J. Baker, outside sentinel.

NEWS IN BRIEF

May Open Store—

C. S. Wilson, dry goods merchant of Roseville who recently opened a branch store in Grass Valley, was in Nevada City yesterday morning. Wilson was looking for a location for a Nevada City branch, he announced. He expects to return here in a few days and may complete arrangements for opening a store here.

Teacher's Father Dies—

Michael Curneen, father of A. Richard Curneen, instructor in the Grass Valley schools, died at his home in Crescent City Wednesday afternoon, according to word received by the son. He and his wife left at once for Crescent City. Michael Curneen was 84, a native of Queenstown, Ireland.

Power Line Completed—

Linement of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company have completed installation of a two-mile power line to the Boss Mine. The current was turned on last Saturday, and early this week the machinery of the mine was under electric power. The mine is operated by the Bradley interests, with Charles J. Lyser in charge.

Improving Cafe—

M. L. Mitchell, proprietor f the M Cafe on Brad street, is having the place renovated and attractively painted. A large refrigerating plant is soon to be installed.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer of Sacramento, at Jones Memorial Hospital, Grass Valley, twins, a son and daughter. The infant son died. Mrs. Meyer was formerly Miss Betty Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chapman, in Sacramento, Feb. 16, 1932, a daughter. Mrs. Chapman was formerly Miss Margaret Bouvier of Gold Flat. Mr. and Mrs. Chapman are also former residents of Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. P. Bigelow spent a few days recently with their daughter, Mrs. Anderson and family

Ray Davis, employed with the Tahoe National Forest, has been confined to his home with an injured foot.

Mrs. Charles E. Parsons was a visitor in Berkeley over the last week end.

Judge and Mrs. Raglan Tuttle spent last week end in San Francisco.

Old Deed Is Filed—

A deed dated January 8, 1869, was placed on file with the county recorder here last week. It was made by George W. Applegate to Jefferson Wilcoxson and involved land located in both Nevada and Placer counties. It was filed in connection with a right-of-way grant to the Nevada Irrigation District.

Washington Portrait Given—

Mrs. Ella M. Austin has presented a framed portrait of George Washington to the Nevada City high school. The portrait is one of several sent to Mrs. Austin by Congressman Harry Englebright.

BAR MEADOWS DANCE TO OPEN TOMORROW

J. B. Sparks, new dance manager announced last night that he had leased with an option to buy the La Barr Meadows Dance Hall two miles south on the Auburn highway. Many improvements are being made including new novel lighting effects which will later include the famous mirror ball. This gives the effect of falling snow. The floor will be resurfaced, and many other improvements to add to the joy of the dancers. The new name will be known as Joyland in the future. Two bands are the big feature for the grand opening. The battle will be between the Oregon "Rogues" of Portland, Oregon, vs. Ted White's "Californians" of San Francisco. For a cash prize of $100.00. Everyone buying a ticket gets two votes which they use to vote for their favorite orchestra. Door prizes will be given to the first fifty couples in. A prize waltz, also a prize fox trot will be features of the evening with a big midnight jamboree. Come all prepared to have the time of your life and you will not be disappointed.

The dances will be presented only every two weeks, the next dance being March 12th.

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